

IRIS Gives You Options!

The new state immunization registry is here! How can we help you connect to it?

The quickest, easiest way to connect to IRIS is to use IRIS-Web. You can access a patient's immunization history, issue reminder notices to bring patients back for additional doses, account for your vaccine, send data to the central registry, and retrieve data quickly and easily for patients who are new to your practice. Report capabilities are also available.

There are at least 3 ways to connect to IRIS- which one works best for your office?

If you have an existing patient management system in your office containing patient demographics and procedure codes...

We can give the vendor of your system the specifications to create an export of immunization directly to IRIS to eliminate the need for duplicate data entry. (Note that your vendor may charge a fee for this capability.) This is a practical way to connect to IRIS, since it helps you get full value out of your present system and adds important connectivity to the state central immunization database.

- a. Using an Internet Service Provider and Browser, you can access the central database through IRIS-Web...

This option allows for quick access to immunization data. It requires additional data entry if you do not have an export, but may be the most feasible for your practice. It is a secure web-site requiring each user to have a username and password assigned and maintained by the Idaho Immunization Program.

- b. You can FAX or mail your data to your local health district office for data entry, and then access the data through a modem or Internet connection.

Although inexpensive, this option provides least access to your patient dataset. Your local health district does the data entry, generates reports about your patient dataset, and forwards them to you. The Internet connection allows you to access immunization records on the patients in your clinic.

Call your local health district office for more information about enrolling in IRIS. The sooner you call, the sooner you can take advantage of this valuable data resource!

Enrollment Form

Fax this completed form to: The Immunization Program at your Local Health District

Date Preliminary Assessment Completed: _____

DIRECTIONS: Please fill out only the top portion of this Enrollment Form to register for access to IRIS.

Site Name:

VFC Program Pin# _____

Site Address:

County, City & Zip Code:

Mailing Address (if different than above):

Contact Name: _____ Contact Title:

Phone # (w/area code): (____)-____-____ Modem # (w/area code):
(____)-____-____

Fax # (w/area code): (____)-____-____ Internet e-mail address

Your Office's Current Computer Hardware Setup:

Windows version: _____ Modem & Modem Line: _____

At least a Pentium 200: _____ At least 64 MB RAM: _____

Internet Service Provider: _____ Browser Version: _____
(Recommend at least 6.0)

Please complete the following information for anyone in your facility who will be assigned user level access to IRIS Web. (If anyone listed below leaves your facility, you must contact the Immunization Program at your district to remove their name from this list.)

First Name	Last Name	Title

The following to be completed by IIP/IRIS staff

Type of organization: Public____ Private____ District Number:

IRMS # _____ Date passwords assigned _____

Enrolling in IRIS

1. Complete the Enrollment Form (please be sure to fill out all information).
2. Call your local Health Department Contact to submit your enrollment request and schedule a time to meet for training.

Coeur d' Alene area: 415-5100	Mareva Kammeyer
Lewiston area: 799-3100	Kim Nelson
Caldwell area: 365-6371	Debbie Dobbs
Boise area: 869-9118	Glenda Call
Twin Falls area: 436-7185	Lisa Klamm
Pocatello area: 233-9080	Kelley Tillotson
Idaho Falls area: 522-0310	Nikki Sayer

If you have any questions, please call your local Health Department.